

**COMMUNITY PROFILE
CENSUS 2000**

CRANSTON

	Number 1990	Percent	Number 2000	Percent	Number Change 1990 - 2000	Percent
Total Population	76,060	100.0	79,269	100.0	3,209	4.2
GENDER						
Male	36,594	48.1	38,800	48.9	2,206	6.0
Female	39,466	51.9	40,469	51.1	1,003	2.5
AGE						
Under 5 years	4,346	5.7	4,180	5.3	-166	-3.8
5 to 9 years	4,132	5.4	4,965	6.3	833	20.2
10-14 years	3,775	5.0	4,984	6.3	1,209	32.0
15-19 years	4,265	5.6	4,732	6.0	467	10.9
20-24 years	5,513	7.2	4,337	5.5	-1,176	-21.3
25-34 years	13,517	17.8	11,128	14.0	-2,389	-17.7
35-44 years	11,535	15.2	13,812	17.4	2,277	19.7
45-54 years	7,185	9.4	10,829	13.7	3,644	50.7
55-59 years	3,414	4.5	3,667	4.6	253	7.4
60-64 years	4,254	5.6	2,924	3.7	-1,330	-31.3
65-74 years	8,094	10.6	6,327	8.0	-1,767	-21.8
75-84 years	4,734	6.2	5,536	7.0	802	16.9
85 + years	1,296	1.7	1,848	2.3	552	42.6
Median Age (years)	37.0	(X)	39.0	(X)	2.0	(X)
GROUP QUARTERS						
In Group Quarters	3,763	4.9	4,659	5.9	896	23.8
Institutionalized	3,620	4.8	4,051	5.1	431	11.9
Noninstitutionalized	143	0.2	608	0.8	465	325.2
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE						
Total Households	29,349	100.0	30,954	100.0	1,605	5.5
Family households (families)	20,279	69.1	20,238	65.4	-41	-0.2
Married-couple family	16,141	55.0	15,244	49.2	-897	-5.6
With own children under 18 yrs	6,498	22.1	6,466	20.9	-32	-0.5
Female householder, no husband present	3,274	11.2	3,858	12.5	584	17.8
With own children under 18 yrs	1,535	5.2	1,095	6.3	-440	-28.7
Nonfamily households	9,070	30.9	10,716	34.6	1,646	18.1
Householder living alone	7,953	27.1	9,109	29.4	1,156	14.5
Householder 65 years and over	4,071	13.9	4,058	13.1	-13	-0.3
Households with individuals 65 years and over	10,048	34.2	9,750	31.5	-298	-3.0
Average household size (persons per household)	2.46	(X)	2.41	(X)	-0.05	(X)
Average family size (persons per family)	3.02	(X)	3.01	(X)	-0.01	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY						
Total Housing Units	30,516	100.0	32,068	100.0	1,552	5.1
Occupied housing units	29,349	96.2	30,954	96.5	1,605	5.5
Vacant housing units	1,167	3.8	1,114	3.5	-53	-4.5
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	76	0.2	100	0.3	24	31.6
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	0.9	(X)	0.9	(X)	0.0	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	5.4	(X)	4.1	(X)	-1.3	(X)
HOUSING TENURE						
Occupied Housing Units	29,349	100.0	30,954	100.0	1,605	5.5
Owner-occupied housing units	19,477	66.4	20,703	66.9	1,226	6.3
Renter-occupied housing units	9,872	33.6	10,251	33.1	379	3.8
Average household size (owner-occupied units)	2.71	(X)	2.64	(X)	-0.07	(X)
Average household size (renter-occupied units)	1.97	(X)	1.96	(X)	-0.01	(X)

Source: U.S. Census Bureau

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